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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Riichiro SHIROTA, et a

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FOR:

FLASH MEMORY HAVING MEMORY SECTION AND PERIPHERAL CIRCUIT SECTION AND

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MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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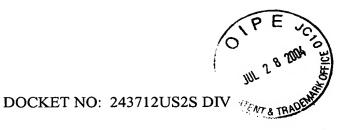
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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action of May 6, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.